IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Jerome B. Zeldis Confirmation No.: 9742

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CYCLOPROPANECARBOXYLIC ACID {2- CAM 501872-999085

[(*IS*)-1-(3-ETHOXY-4-METHOXY-PHENYL)-2-METHANESULFONYL-ETHYL]-3-OXO-2,3-DIHYDRO-1*H*-ISOINDOL-4-YL}-AMIDE FOR THE TREATMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF MYELOPROLIFERATIVE DISEASES

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Dear Sir:

This paper is filed after the filing of Notice of Appeal on July 30, 2009 but before the due date of the Appeal Brief in connection with the above-referenced application, and in conjunction with the Request for Continued Examination which is filed herewith. Prior to consideration on the merits, Applicant submits the following remarks and request that the Amendment After Final filed on July 8, 2009 be reconsidered.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.